

Service Date: January 25, 2001

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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IN THE MATTER OF UNDERDAHL FARMS,)	TRANSPORTATION DIVISION
INC., dba U.F.I. SANITATION SERVICE,)	
Conrad, Montana, Application for a Montana)	DOCKET NO. T-00.56.PCN
Intrastate Certificate of Public Convenience)	
and Necessity)	ORDER NO. 6498a

FINAL ORDER

On November 29, 2000, the Public Service Commission (PSC) issued a Proposed Order (PSC Order No. 6498) dismissing the application of Underdahl Farms, Inc., dba UFI Sanitation Service (UFI), Conrad, Montana, for Class D (solid waste) motor carrier authority. The date for filing exceptions to the Proposed Order was December 19, 2000. UFI has filed no exceptions to the PSC's Proposed Order.

On December 11, 2000, Montana Waste Systems, Inc. (Waste Systems), Great Falls, Montana, a protestant in the proceeding, filed a Notice of Concurrence in Proposed Order. Waste Systems supports the Proposed Order, but requests that the PSC note in this Final Order that UFI's fitness was also challenged. Although it appears unnecessary to do so, to protect the integrity of Waste System's position or otherwise, the PSC agrees that UFI's fitness would have been challenged by Waste Systems and so notes.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the PSC's November 29, 2000, Proposed Order in this proceeding, PSC Order No. 6498, is adopted as the Final Order of the PSC and the application of Underdahl Farms, Inc., dba UFI Sanitation Service, for a Class D motor carrier authority is dismissed.

Done and dated this 9th day of January, 2001, by a vote of 5-0.

BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

GARY FELAND, Chairman and Hearings Examiner

JAY STOVALL, Vice Chairman

BOB ANDERSON, Commissioner

MATT BRAINARD, Commissioner

BOB ROWE, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Rhonda J. Simmons
Commission Secretary

(SEAL)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the Final Order No. 6498a, issued in Docket T-00.56.PCN, in the matter of Underdahl Farms, Inc. dba U.F.I. Sanitation Service, has today been sent to all parties listed.

DATED: January 25, 2001

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